



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Tai-Hua CHEN Confirmation No: 4224  
Appl. No. : 10/828,313  
Filed : April 21, 2004  
Title : VALVE MECHANISM OF THE BLADDERS OF AN AIR  
PACKING BAG

TC/A.U. : 3753  
Examiner : C.K. Lee

Docket No.: CHEN3659/REF  
Customer No: 23364

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants request that the period for response to the outstanding official action in this case be extend pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 (a) for ONE (1) month to July 7, 2006.

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17(a) for a one month extension of time is \$60.00 and a check in this amount is submitted herewith. Small entity status has been established. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension to Deposit Account No. 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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